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Mr Cress

August 18th 1859

My dear Anne

I am glad Mr C
has returned, but sorry he did
not get my musical box —
You must not be uneasy
if you do not hear from me
for ten days, as I will be absent
about that time from home —
As I wrote you before, I will
leave for the Williamsome
Springs day after tomorrow,
and it will be difficult for
them to have letters reach
you, so probably I will not

Write again until I return —
I do not wish now any but
your picture, so have it
carefully packed, and be
sure to get a nice frame
for it — I hope James will come
soon, and bring Floride with
him — Floride Cunningham has
brings her two poor daughters
with her, and I would like
so much Floride could be here
to keep their company —
I can say nothing about the
mine, it will have to remain
as it is until James comes —
I hope my letter reached you
is closing a check for \$100 dollars
pay out of it what I owe and

give Floride \$40 dollars
for her travelling expenses
and now, if you think she
will require it as I wish
her to have enough, and
to spare - she may like to
spend a few days in Columbia.
She must write me when she
will reach Sudbury, and I
will send the carriage for
them - Run on to Boston
and Mr. Daub, and tell the
latter I find her receipts fine -
I thought I mentioned Lizzy
Schultz was to marry Mr. Roman
of Maryland, and see on a visit
directly after she is married -
to his first wife's mother who

has his little Daughter —
 They have a house full, but
 I have been too much indisposed
 to visit any of them — Persons
 have been calling constantly since
 I have been sick, and have been
 compelled to see them, as they are
 friends from Charleston —

Do not hurry yourself, but
 when the curtains are
 ready send them on to the care
 of J & Lorton Puddledon Tidg-
 for might send some of Florida
 things in the curtains, that she
 will ask and till she comes here.
 Mr. Kim joins me in love to all.

Your devoted Mother

Florida Ballou.